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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

CHARLESTON, IL, Dec. 11 -- Therese (Terri) Donovan (Glenwood - Homewood-Flossmoor), sophomore strongside hitter, completed her inaugural season on the Eastern Illinois University volleyball team this past fall. The Panthers finished the season with a 20-26 record and were runnerup to Lewis University for the IAAW Division II title.

"Terri has a very positive attitude and is very coachable," commented EIU first-year coach Carol Gruber. "She gave us 100% all the time. At the beginning of the season we worked on a lot of the basics as she was a first-year player . . . All she needs to come off that bench is experience."

"She has tremendous potential . . . Always ready to play at any position; is an All-Around player that got the job done for us."

Her 1981 season statistics include 92% serving with three (3) aces, 92% service reception, 75% digs, 92% setting and 84% on attacks.

Donovan, an Earth Science major, is a 1980 graduate of Homewood-Flossmore High School and played for Coach Sue Pamba as a hitter.

Therese is the daughter of Thomas and Earline Donovan, 921 Rainbow Drive, Glenwood.

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